

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A nozzle array, ~~comprising especially for a ventilation system of a motor vehicle, comprising~~ at least one nozzle disposed at one end of a flow duct and a grille disposed in a cover plate at the nozzle outlet,
wherein the grille partially conceals the nozzle outlet and there is a gap between the grille and the cover plate planarly disposed with the grille; and
wherein the flow duct comprises an outer part flow duct and an inner part flow duct,
wherein the outer part flow duct provides a diffuse flow path and the inner part flow duct is approximately straight.
2. (Previously Presented) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein the grille conceals the nozzle outlet in a central region.
3. (Currently Amended) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein the gap is a circumferential gap [[is]] provided around the grille.
4. (Previously Presented) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein the grille is rectangular in configuration.
5. (Previously Presented) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein the grille is substantially nontransparent in configuration.
6. (Previously Presented) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein the grille is mesh-like in configuration.

7. (Currently Amended) The nozzle array as claimed in [[one]] claim 1, wherein the nozzle is a swirl nozzle.

8. (Previously Presented) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein two nozzles are disposed side by side, which are jointly concealed by the grille.

9. (Previously Presented) The nozzle array as claimed in claim 1, wherein the grille, at the left and/or right ends, is semicircular in configuration.

10. (Currently Amended) A ventilation system, ~~especially for a motor vehicle, wherein comprising~~ at least one nozzle array as claimed in claim 1.

11. (New) A motor vehicle comprising a ventilation system according to claim 10.